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The Buffalo Express states that Daniel N. Lockwood, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of New York, sent his resignation to Attorney General Miller last Saturday. Mr. Lockwood still claims the glory of having nominated Grover Cleveland to every office to which he was elected. For the one to which he was not re-elected he did not nominate him. And now Mr. Lockwood, like his protegee, is out of politics.

No tidings yet from the passengers and crew of the steamship Denmark. The strain of anxiety is getting more tense among the friends of those on board.

"Oh, here her tale of sorrow known,
Tells something to the aching heart;
The path of doubt would then be gone,
And fancy's endless dreams depart.
It may not be; there is no ray
By which her doom we may explore;
We only know she sailed away,
And we're left to wonder more."

EVERY Republican in the state of New York has a right to apply for a position in the New York custom house. But though the time is short and the places must soon be filled, Collector Erhardt has received only 2,000 applications. There were 648,759 votes cast for Harrison and Morton in this state last fall, hence there are 324 Republicans who do not wish to labor in the custom house, for every one who does. If 2,000 want places there are 646,759 who don't. The Republican party does not live on office.

The death of J. P. Usher in Philadelphia last week leaves as the only survivors of Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet, Simon Cameron of Pennsylvania, Hugh McCulloch of Indiana, and James Harlan of Iowa. Of earlier Cabinets there are several survivors. Buchanan's Cabinet officers are all dead, but of Pierce's Cabinet Jefferson Davis, Secretary of War, and James Campbell, Postmaster General, are alive. The only survivor of the Taylor-Fillmore administration is Alexander H. H. Stewart, Secretary of the Interior, who lives in Virginia. George Bancroft, who was for a short time Secretary of the Navy under Polk, still lives in Washington.

MISS MILLIE CONSTABLE of Baltimore married Baron Von Suero last September. She took him at his word, and believed that he was the owner of vast estates in Germany. They removed to New York and lived on the wife's small fortune, the Baron in the meantime making great efforts to get his financial affairs adjusted. Last week he told her of another fortune that had been left him in Germany, and she gave him all the remaining money she had excepting \$600, and he went out to buy steamship tickets for himself and her. He has not yet returned, neither is his name on the list of any outgoing ship. The lady, however, sailed on the Gallia, hoping to overtake him in London. She may not find him, but will probably obtain the satisfaction of learning that his title is bogus.

DR. GYLES of New York exhibited a degree of politeness to his wife yesterday which ought to make an impression upon all persons intending suicide. He called at her room with a glass in his hand containing a white mixture, and after conversing on various subjects pleasantly asked her to take a drink. She declined, as she does not like magnesia, which she supposed it was. After she had gone he drank the preparation himself, and a few minutes later was in the agonies of death. He had wanted his wife to die with him, but did not urge her. A less courteous gentleman would have hunted her down with a revolver, and given her all the lead in the weapon except the contents of one barrel reserved for himself. Mrs. Gyles lives to weep again.

THE New York Press to-day wholly relinquishes the position which it took a few weeks ago, that the next Presidential election could not be conducted on the apportionment of Representatives following the eleventh census. It has heard from Gen. Francis A. Walker, Superintendent of the tenth census, and from Representatives Cannon, McKinley and Bayne. These gentlemen all agree that the election can and must proceed on the new apportionment, which will probably be made by the 51st Congress. The Press also quotes the precedents recently cited by the FREEMAN on the subject, which showed that in four Presidential elections the very thing had been done which the former paper once thought could not be done. The editor of the Press will probably be the Superintendent of the Census. We hope he will hurry it up, as the Republican party proposes to keep pace with the growth of the country.

DANMARK'S PASSENGERS.

News from Them Expected By Steamers Now Overdue.

UNDER MOVING ORDERS.

Thirty Trains Loaded With Merchandise for Oklahoma.

NEWSPAPER LIBEL SUITS

Against the "Providence Journal" And the "Buffalo Courier."

PEOPLE BURNED TO DEATH

And Narrow Escapes of Others From Devouring Element.

GENERAL TELEGRAPH NEWS

NO NEWS OF MISSING PASSENGERS.

Fate of the People on the Steamer Denmark Still Unknown.

New-York, April 15.—There is still no news of the missing passengers and crew of the wrecked steamship Denmark. The question is when will the minds of marine men be when will the National Line steamship Denmark arrive and will it bring news of the Denmark? The National steamship is now two days and several hours overdue. There is a faint possibility that the delay of the Denmark is due to its being in collision with the Denmark. It would be a strange fate that should bring these two vessels together, 1,000 miles out on the ocean. There is no means of accounting for the way the Denmark lay in the sea when sighted by the City of Chester, except by a collision. Its stern was so deep in the water that the waves were constantly washing over the after deck, and its bow was so high that its keel could be seen.

The National Line steamer Denmark left London on March 30. The Thingvall steamer Denmark left Christiania on March 26. The vessels could not, therefore, be far apart when the latter was seen wrecked by the City of Chester. Several steamships came into port to-day, but so far none have brought the wished-for news. The Hammonia came over the track of the Thingvall line. In fact all the steamers on that line, through the English Channel, take nearly the same course. The Cheniston came from Mediterranean ports and would be on the equatorial side of the northern European steamship track. The British vessels from Liverpool, Queenstown, Glasgow and London would have a course to the Arctic side of it. This ought to increase the chances of rescue.

It is held that unless a comparatively large vessel, either a steamer or a ship, took up the shipwrecked people it would be most likely that the nearest point, the Azores, would be made for.

SOME RECENT DISASTROUS FIRES.

Two Men Burned to Death in a Livery Stable in Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 15.—A stable owned by James Miller, a colored blacksmith, and his wife, Mrs. Miller, was burned to-day. The stable was filled with hay and feed and the ground floor contained two horses and four mules. The fire had gained great headway before Miller arrived on the spot, and in spite of the remonstrances of his friends and their attempt to hold him he dashed into the burning stable to rescue his horses. The stable fell in immediately and he was smothered to death. Williams slept in the loft and it is supposed he was cut off from escape by the flames before he awoke.

New-York, April 15.—Fire broke out early this morning, in James Gordon Bennett's house at No. 28 West Twenty-First street. Herman Olriches, Travis VanBuren and J. Pollock, who were sleeping in apartments there, were nearly suffocated by the dense smoke. The fire was quickly extinguished and the damage was slight.

CHICAGO, April 15.—The engine-house and other buildings of E. & G. Brooks, French Creek Iron Mines, were burned this morning. Loss \$10,000. Several men who were working at the bottom of the shaft, 300 feet below the surface, had a narrow escape, as the shaft caught fire soon after they had ascended.

TWO NEWSPAPER LIBEL SUITS.

One Against the "Providence Journal" and Another Against "Buffalo Courier."

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 15.—The suit for \$5,000 damages for libel against the Providence Journal was begun to-day, by Nathan D. Jencks, proprietor of the Pine Grove House, which the Journal charged with being a place where liquor was sold in violation of law and which was the resort of disreputable persons. The article was published in connection with a series of articles on dives.

BUFFALO, April 15.—George Bleistein, President of the Courier Company, was arraigned in the Court of Oyer and Terminer this morning, on an indictment charging criminal libel. The case was brought by Austin N. Sickney, keeper of the Erie County Penitentiary, and grows out of articles published in the Courier reflecting on the management of the prison. Mr. Bleistein pleaded not guilty and gave a bond of \$500.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL R. R.

The Annual Report for the Year 1888 is issued to-day.

New-York, April 15.—The annual report of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Road for the year 1888 was issued to-day. The gross earnings were \$24,867,700, operating expenses and taxes, \$17,877,353, net earnings, \$7,490,377, total revenue and surplus account, \$11,788,549. Interest, dividends, etc., \$9,553,835. Balance \$2,234,714. This shows a deficit in earnings sufficient to meet payments of \$1,845,284, which was taken in some way and deducted from the nominal balance at credit. The bonded debt was \$118,924,000. Floating debt \$4,399,521.

James Stewart to Succeed Kidder.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Postal Inspector Kidder, chief of this division, received notice from Acting Chief Maynard, at Washington, this morning, that Captain James Stewart had been appointed his successor to take charge of the division whenever he presents himself, and granting Inspector Kidder 15 days' leave of absence.

E. H. ROBERTS ALREADY AT HIS POST.

Work of Counting Gold and Silver was begun This Morning.

New-York, April 15.—Ellis H. Roberts assumed his duties as Assistant Treasurer of the United States this morning. Mr. Roberts arrived at the sub-treasury about 9 o'clock, fully an hour before the regular time for the opening of business. The iron doors and grating on the Wall-street front were still closed and barred and he could not get in that way. So he went around to the other end of the building, which fronts on Pine-street, where the janitor admitted him. Mr. Roberts' demeanor is emphatically that of a hustler. He walked briskly through the building until he came to the little room in the south-west corner, specially set apart for the use of the Assistant Treasurer. Entering this he seated himself at a large desk and within three minutes was hard at work. Mr. Roberts had opened half a dozen letters, taken at random from a pile upon his desk, when a reporter was ushered into his presence.

"Glad to see you," he said, as he grasped the hand of the reporter.

"You are at work early, I see," observed the reporter.

"Oh yes," was the reply. "There's a good deal to do, and promptness facilitates work, you know. No man can better appreciate promptness than a man who has been in the newspaper business, as I have been for years."

"You have a pretty big job on hand to count the funds in the vaults," was suggested.

Yes. The work begins this morning with the counting of the gold and silver in the vaults. Of course I am so newly in the harness as yet that I cannot say much as to the details of my programme for the future."

After the reporter departed the Cashier of the sub-treasury called into Mr. Roberts' room, and he and the new Assistant Treasurer had a long consultation.

READY TO ENTER PROMISED LAND.

The Oklahoma Boomers will not Long Remain in the Wilderness.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

KANSAS CITY, April 15.—In this region nothing is heard but Oklahoma. In the freight yards, crowded on the tracks and under moving orders, are about 30 huge trains freighted with the anticipated necessities of the coming community. There are houses in sections, ready to be bolted together and erected or habitation within one hour after their delivery. There are completed stocks of every conceivable sort of merchandise and with each carload of stock is packed away the building required to harbor it. In this manner drug stores, dry goods stores, shoe stores, saloons and groceries are drawn up in the freight yards. Such circumstances, but tend to darken the prospect, and it is believed that the opening will be marked by much violence. The poor squatters with their slow teams who months and years ago marked out their intended homes within the promised land, declare they will fight for them. There is, however, no moratorium of burning bridges and blocking railroads. Meanwhile troops are being quietly placed to do police duty in conjunction with the United States Marshal at the points of crowded settlement and registration.

TRAVEL BLOCKED ON A RAILROAD.

Wreck of Freight Trains on the Pittsburg; Seven Cars Demolished.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

GREENFIELD, Mass., April 15.—The breaking of a draw-bar on a freight car of a wild eastern-bound freight train occurring at the same moment that another freight was passing on the west track made a wreck, this morning, which blocked travel on the Pittsburg Railroad in all directions. Seven cars loaded with beef were demolished.

THE NEW CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.

Rules and Regulations Being Printed in Latin at Rome.

By Cable to The Freeman.

ROME, April 15.—The rules and regulations of the new Catholic University at Washington are being printed in Latin in the "Propaganda Fide." They will be sent out to all Bishops in America, Canada, England, Ireland, Scotland and Australia. The Rector, the Right Rev. Monsignor Keane, will sail for America the first week in May.

SPRUNG A LEAK AND SUNK.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

NORWALK, Conn., April 15.—The propeller City of Norwalk sprang a leak and sank yesterday, while lying at a wharf in South Norwalk. On the vessel were 3,000 bushels of oysters for foreign shipment. The propeller would have started for New-York Saturday had the wind been less severe. The fireman was asleep and narrowly escaped.

COURT OF APPEALS CALENDARS.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

ALBANY, April 15.—The motion calendar for Tuesday, April 16, in the Court of Appeals is: Nos. 1,322, 1,323, 1,324, 1,325, 1,326, 1,327, 1,328, 1,329, 1,330, 1,331, 1,332, 1,333, 1,334, 1,335, 1,336, 1,337, 1,338, 1,339, 1,340, 1,341, 1,342, 1,343, 1,344, 1,345, 1,346, 1,347, 1,348, 1,349, 1,350, 1,351, 1,352, 1,353, 1,354, 1,355, 1,356, 1,357, 1,358, 1,359, 1,360, 1,361, 1,362, 1,363, 1,364, 1,365, 1,366, 1,367, 1,368, 1,369, 1,370, 1,371, 1,372, 1,373, 1,374, 1,375, 1,376, 1,377, 1,378, 1,379, 1,380, 1,381, 1,382, 1,383, 1,384, 1,385, 1,386, 1,387, 1,388, 1,389, 1,390, 1,391, 1,392, 1,393, 1,394, 1,395, 1,396, 1,397, 1,398, 1,399, 1,400, 1,401, 1,402, 1,403, 1,404, 1,405, 1,406, 1,407, 1,408, 1,409, 1,410, 1,411, 1,412, 1,413, 1,414, 1,415, 1,416, 1,417, 1,418, 1,419, 1,420, 1,421, 1,422, 1,423, 1,424, 1,425, 1,426, 1,427, 1,428, 1,429, 1,430, 1,431, 1,432, 1,433, 1,434, 1,435, 1,436, 1,437, 1,438, 1,439, 1,440, 1,441, 1,442, 1,443, 1,444, 1,445, 1,446, 1,447, 1,448, 1,449, 1,450, 1,451, 1,452, 1,453, 1,454, 1,455, 1,456, 1,457, 1,458, 1,459, 1,460, 1,461, 1,462, 1,463, 1,464, 1,465, 1,466, 1,467, 1,468, 1,469, 1,470, 1,471, 1,472, 1,473, 1,474, 1,475, 1,476, 1,477, 1,478, 1,479, 1,480, 1,481, 1,482, 1,483, 1,484, 1,485, 1,486, 1,487, 1,488, 1,489, 1,490, 1,491, 1,492, 1,493, 1,494, 1,495, 1,496, 1,497, 1,498, 1,499, 1,500, 1,501, 1,502, 1,503, 1,504, 1,505, 1,506, 1,507, 1,508, 1,509, 1,510, 1,511, 1,512, 1,513, 1,514, 1,515, 1,516, 1,517, 1,518, 1,519, 1,520, 1,521, 1,522, 1,523, 1,524, 1,525, 1,526, 1,527, 1,528, 1,529, 1,530, 1,531, 1,532, 1,533, 1,534, 1,535, 1,536, 1,537, 1,538, 1,539, 1,540, 1,541, 1,542, 1,543, 1,544, 1,545, 1,546, 1,547, 1,548, 1,549, 1,550, 1,551, 1,552, 1,553, 1,554, 1,555, 1,556, 1,557, 1,558, 1,559, 1,560, 1,561, 1,562, 1,563, 1,564, 1,565, 1,566, 1,567, 1,568, 1,569, 1,570, 1,571, 1,572, 1,573, 1,574, 1,575, 1,576, 1,577, 1,578, 1,579, 1,580, 1,581, 1,582, 1,583, 1,584, 1,585, 1,586, 1,587, 1,588, 1,589, 1,590, 1,591, 1,592, 1,593, 1,594, 1,595, 1,596, 1,597, 1,598, 1,599, 1,600, 1,601, 1,602, 1,603, 1,604, 1,605, 1,606, 1,607, 1,608, 1,609, 1,610, 1,611, 1,612, 1,613, 1,614, 1,615, 1,616, 1,617, 1,618, 1,619, 1,620, 1,621, 1,622, 1,623, 1,624, 1,625, 1,626, 1,627, 1,628, 1,629, 1,630, 1,631, 1,632, 1,633, 1,634, 1,635, 1,636, 1,637, 1,638, 1,639, 1,640, 1,641, 1,642, 1,643, 1,644, 1,645, 1,646, 1,647, 1,648, 1,649, 1,650, 1,651, 1,652, 1,653, 1,654, 1,655, 1,656, 1,657, 1,658, 1,659, 1,660, 1,661, 1,662, 1,663, 1,664, 1,665, 1,666, 1,667, 1,668, 1,669, 1,670, 1,671, 1,672, 1,673, 1,674, 1,675, 1,676, 1,677, 1,678, 1,679, 1,680, 1,681, 1,682, 1,683, 1,684, 1,685, 1,686, 1,687, 1,688, 1,689, 1,690, 1,691, 1,692, 1,693, 1,694, 1,695, 1,696, 1,697, 1,698, 1,699, 1,700, 1,701, 1,702, 1,703, 1,704, 1,705, 1,706, 1,707, 1,708, 1,709, 1,710, 1,711, 1,712, 1,713, 1,714, 1,715, 1,716, 1,717, 1,718, 1,719, 1,720, 1,721, 1,722, 1,723, 1,724, 1,725, 1,726, 1,727, 1,728, 1,729, 1,730, 1,731, 1,732, 1,733, 1,734, 1,735, 1,736, 1,737, 1,738, 1,739, 1,740, 1,741, 1,742, 1,743, 1,744, 1,745, 1,746, 1,747, 1,748, 1,749, 1,750, 1,751, 1,752, 1,753, 1,754, 1,755, 1,756, 1,757, 1,758, 1,759, 1,760, 1,761, 1,762, 1,763, 1,764, 1,765, 1,766, 1,767, 1,768, 1,769, 1,770, 1,771, 1,772, 1,773, 1,774, 1,775, 1,776, 1,777, 1,778, 1,779, 1,780, 1,781, 1,782, 1,783, 1,784, 1,785, 1,786, 1,787, 1,788, 1,789, 1,790, 1,791, 1,792, 1,793, 1,794, 1,795, 1,796, 1,797, 1,798, 1,799, 1,800, 1,801, 1,802, 1,803, 1,804, 1,805, 1,806, 1,807, 1,808, 1,809, 1,810, 1,811, 1,812, 1,813, 1,814, 1,815, 1,816, 1,817, 1,818, 1,819, 1,820, 1,821, 1,822, 1,823, 1,824, 1,825, 1,826, 1,827, 1,828, 1,829, 1,830, 1,831, 1,832, 1,833, 1,834, 1,835, 1,836, 1,837, 1,838, 1,839, 1,840, 1,841, 1,842, 1,843, 1,844, 1,845, 1,846, 1,847, 1,848, 1,849, 1,850, 1,851, 1,852, 1,853, 1,854, 1,855, 1,856, 1,857, 1,858, 1,859, 1,860, 1,861, 1,862, 1,863, 1,864, 1,865, 1,866, 1,867, 1,868, 1,869, 1,870, 1,871, 1,872, 1,873, 1,874, 1,875, 1,876, 1,877, 1,878, 1,879, 1,880, 1,881, 1,882, 1,883, 1,884, 1,885, 1,886, 1,887, 1,888, 1,889, 1,890, 1,891, 1,892, 1,893, 1,894, 1,895, 1,896, 1,897, 1,898, 1,899, 1,900, 1,901, 1,902, 1,903, 1,904, 1,905, 1,906

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On the very eve of election last November, David Magill, a maimed soldier, was removed from the Postoffice at New York Mills, Ontario county, to make room for a Democratic heeler. Last Saturday Magill was restored to the office. The career of his successor has been short and not altogether glorious. But it is no longer a crime for a man to bear a scar, even if it was inflicted by a Democrat.

A NEW YORK paper advertised the other day "A first-class parent for sale, with light work and great profits." The hunt by the Poughkeepsie Eagle for orphans in Dutchess county demonstrates that the parent market is dull. But if there are any orphans for sale, the proprietors can hear of something to their liking by addressing the managers of the John Guy Vassar orphan asylum.

THE Buffalo Express states that Daniel N. Lockwood, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of New York, sent his resignation to Attorney General Miller last Saturday. Mr. Lockwood still claims the glory of having nominated Grover Cleveland to every office to which he was elected. For the one to which he was not re-elected he did not nominate him. And now Mr. Lockwood, like his protegee, is out of politics.

NO TIDINGS yet from the passengers and crew of the steamship Denmark. The strain of anxiety is getting more tense among the friends of those on board.

"Oh, were her tale of sorrow known,
Two something to the aching heart;
The welter of doubt would then be gone,
And fancy's endless dreams depart.
It may not be, there is no way
By which her doom we may explore;
We only know she sailed away,
And so we wait and wait no more."

EVERY Republican in the state of New York has a right to apply for a position in the New York custom house. But though the time is short and the places must soon be filled, Collector Erhardt has received only 2,000 applications. There were 648,759 votes cast for Harrison and Morton in this state last fall, hence there are 324 Republicans who do not wish to labor in the custom house, for every one who does. If 2,000 want places there are 646,759 who don't. The Republican party does not live on office.

THE death of J. P. Usher in Philadelphia last week leaves as the only survivors of Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet, Simon Cameron of Pennsylvania, Hugh McCulloch of Indiana, and James Harlan of Iowa. Of earlier Cabinets there are several survivors. Buchanan's Cabinet officers are all dead, but of Pierce's Cabinet the only survivor of the Taylor-Fillmore administration is Alexander H. H. Stewart, Secretary of the Interior, who lives in Virginia. George Bancroft, who was for a short time Secretary of the Navy under Polk, still lives in Washington.

MISS MILLIE CONSTABLE of Baltimore married Baron Von Suero last September. She took him at his word, and believed that he was the owner of vast estates in Germany. They removed to New York and lived on the wife's small fortune, the Baron in the meantime making great efforts to get his financial affairs adjusted. Last week he told her of another fortune that had been left him in Germany, and she gave him all the remaining money she had excepting \$60, and he went out to buy steamship tickets for himself and her. He has not yet returned, neither is his name on the list of any outgoing ship. The lady, however, sailed on the Gallia, hoping to overtake him in London. She may not find him, but will probably obtain the satisfaction of learning that his title is bogus.

DR. GYLES of New York exhibited a degree of politeness to his wife yesterday which ought to make an impression upon all persons intending suicide. He called at her room with a glass in his hand containing a white mixture, and after conversing on various subjects pleasantly asked her to take a drink. She declined, as she does not like a drink, which she supposed it was. After she had gone he drank the preparation himself, and a few minutes later was in the agonies of death. He had wanted his wife to die with him, but did not urge her. A less courteous gentleman would have hunted her down with a revolver, and given her all the lead in the weapon except the contents of one barrel reserved for himself. Mrs. Gyles lives to wed again.

THE New York Press to-day wholly relinquishes the position which it took a few weeks ago, that the next Presidential election could not be conducted on the apportionment of Representatives following the eleventh census. It has heard from Gen. Francis A. Walker, Superintendent of the tenth census, and from Representatives Cannon, McKinley and Bayne. These gentlemen all agree that the election can and must proceed on the new apportionment, which will probably be made by the 51st Congress. The Press also quotes the precedents recently cited by the FREEMAN on the subject, which showed that in four Presidential elections the very thing had been done could not be done. The editor of the Press will probably be the Superintendent of the Census. We hope he will hurry it up, as the Republican party proposes to keep pace with the growth of the country.

DANMARK'S PASSENGERS.

News from Them Expected By Steamer Now Overdue.

UNDER MOVING ORDERS.

Thirty Trains Loaded with Merchandise for Oklahoma.

NEWSPAPER LIBEL SUITS

Against the "Providence Journal" And the "Buffalo Courier."

PEOPLE BURNED TO DEATH

And Narrow Escapes of Others From Devouring Element.

GENERAL TELEGRAPH NEWS

NO NEWS OF MISSING PASSENGERS.

Fate of the People on the Steamer Denmark Still Unknown.

NEW YORK, April 15.—There is still no news of the missing passengers and crew of the wrecked steamship Denmark. The question that now occupies the minds of marine men is when will the National Line steamship Denmark arrive and will it bring news of the Denmark? The National steamship is now two days and several hours overdue. There is a faint possibility that the delay of the Denmark is due to its being in collision with the Denmark. It would be a strange fate that should bring these two vessels together 1,000 miles out on the ocean. There is no means of accounting for the way the Denmark lay in the sea when sighted by the City of Chester, except by a collision. Its stern was so deep in the water that the waves were constantly washing over the after deck and its bow was so high that its keel could be seen.

The National Line steamer Denmark left London on March 30. The Thingvall steamer Denmark left Christiania, N. on March 30. The vessels could not, therefore, be far apart when the latter was seen wrecked by the City of Chester. Several steamships came into port to-day, but so far none has brought word of the missing passengers. The Hammonia came over the track of the Thingvall line. In fact all the steamers that come through the English Channel take nearly the same course. The Chenicote came from Mediterranean ports and would be on the equatorial side of the northern European steamship track. The British vessels from Liverpool, Queenstown, Glasgow and Londonderry would have a course to the Arctic side of it. This ought to increase the chances of rescue.

It is held that unless a comparatively large vessel, either a steamer or a ship, took up the shipwrecked people it would be most likely that the nearest point, the Azores, would be made for.

SINGERS AMONG THE LOST.

HUPESON, Wis., April 15.—Mrs. Ingelholm Logrin, of this city, and Miss Bertha Eickstrom, sister of Mrs. Emil Olund, also of this city, were among the passengers of the ill-fated Denmark. Mrs. Logrin and Mrs. Olund were members of the famous Swedish Ladies' Quartette during its tour in this country. Both had made engagements to sing in a church choir in Minneapolis.

SOME RECENT DISASTROUS FIRES.

Two Men Burned to Death in a Livestable in Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 15.—A stable owned by James Miller, a colored hatter, was burned at 2 o'clock this morning and the lives of two men were lost. Miller and his colored driver, Felix Williams, perished in the flames. The stable loft was filled with hay and feed and the ground floor contained two horses and four cows. The fire broke out early this morning, in James Gordon Bennett's house at No. 28 West Twenty-first street. Herman Olriches, Travis VanBuren and J. Pollock, who were sleeping in apartments there, were nearly suffocated by the dense smoke. Several men were working at the bottom of the shaft, 300 feet below the surface, had a narrow escape, as the shaft caught fire soon after they had ascended.

TWO NEWSPAPER LIBEL SUITS.

One Against the "Providence Journal" and Another Against the "Buffalo Courier."

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 15.—The suit for \$5,000 damages for libel against the Providence Journal was begun to-day, by Nathan D. Jencks, proprietor of the Pine Grove House, which the Journal charged with being a place where liquor was sold in violation of law and which was the resort of disreputable persons. The article was published in connection with a series of articles on dives.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL R. R.

The Annual Report for the Year 1888 Issued To-Day.

NEW YORK, April 15.—The annual report of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Road for the year 1888 was issued to-day. The gross earnings were \$24,887,780; operating expenses and taxes, \$17,377,353; net earnings, \$7,510,427. Interest, dividends, etc., \$9,553,885. Balance \$2,229,714. This shows a deficit in earnings sufficient to meet payments of \$1,845,284, which was taken in some way and deducted from the nominal balance at credit. The bonded debt was \$118,984,000. Floating debt \$4,399,521.

JAMES STEWART TO SUCCEED KIDDER.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Postal Inspector Kidder, chief of this division, received notice from acting Chief Maynard, at Washington, this morning, that Captain James Stewart had been appointed his successor to the position of division chief. Stewart presents himself, and granting Inspector Kidder 15 days' leave of absence.

E. H. ROBERTS ALREADY AT HIS POST.

Work of Counting Gold and Silver was begun This Morning.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Ellis H. Roberts assumed his duties as Assistant Treasurer of the United States this morning. Mr. Roberts arrived at the sub-treasury about 9 o'clock, fully an hour before the regular time for the opening of business. The iron doors and grating on the Wall-street front were still closed and barred, and he could not get in that way. So he went around to the other end of the building, which fronts on Pine-street, where the janitor admitted him. Mr. Roberts' demeanor is emphatically that of a hustler. He walked briskly through the building and he came to the little room in the south-west corner, specially set apart for the use of the Assistant Treasurer. Entering this he seated himself at a large desk and within three minutes was hard at work. Mr. Roberts had opened half a dozen letters, taken at random from a pile upon his desk, when a reporter was ushered into his presence.

"Glad to see you," he said, as he grasped the hand of the visitor.

"You are at work early, I see," observed the reporter.

"Oh yes," was the reply. "There's a good deal to do, and promptness facilitates work, you know. No man can better appreciate promptness than a man who has been in the newspaper business, as I have been for years."

"You have a pretty big job on hand to count the funds in the vaults," was suggested.

"Yes," The work begins this morning with the counting of the gold and silver in the vaults. Of course I am so newly in the harness as yet that I cannot say much as to the details of my programme for the future."

For the reporter desired to know the result of the sub-treasury was called into Mr. Roberts' room, and he and the new Assistant Treasurer had a long consultation.

READY TO ENTER PROMISED LAND.

The Oklahoma Boomers will not Long Remain in the Wilderness.

KANSAS CITY, April 15.—In this region nothing is heard but Oklahoma. In the freight yards, crowded on the tracks and under moving orders, are about 30 huge trains freighted with the anticipated necessities of the coming country. There are houses in sections, ready to be bolted together and entered for habitation within one hour after their delivery. There are completed stocks of every conceivable sort of merchandise and with each car-load of stock is packed away the building material to erect houses. In this manner drug stores, dry goods stores, shoe stores, saloons and groceries are drawn up in readiness to be launched forward upon the favored center. It is said in the railway circles that 1,000 car-loads of supplies for Oklahoma have already been sent forward and are awaiting the onset at Arkansas City on the border. Meanwhile there is a steady gathering of pilgrims by the railroads, but the passenger business in the direction of the new country is not yet commensurate with the freight movement. The rush, however, is perceptibly beginning, and will gather in volume and energy throughout the week. Reports of the continued rise of the Cimarron River continue to come in, and this is threatening to cut off those boomers who are awaiting upon the northern borders the long withheld permission to pass over and take the land. Such circumstances tend to darken the prospect, and it is believed here that the opening will be marked by much violence. The poor squatters with their slow teams who months and years ago marked out their intended homes within the promised land, declare they will fight for them. There is, however, no talk of burning bridges and blocking railroads. Meanwhile troops are being quietly placed to do police duty in conjunction with the United States Marshal at the points of crowded settlement and registration.

TRAVEL BLOCKED ON A RAILROAD.

Wreck of Freight Trains on the Fitchburg Seven Cars Demolished.

GREENFIELD, Mass., April 15.—The breaking of a draw-bar on a freight car of a wild eastern-bound freight train occurring at the same moment that another freight was passing on the west track made a wreck, this morning, which blocked travel on the Fitchburg railroad in all directions. Seven cars loaded with beef were demolished.

THE NEW CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.

Rules and Regulations Being Printed in Latin at Rome.

ROME, April 15.—The rules and regulations of the new Catholic University at Washington are being printed in Latin at the "Propaganda Fide." They will be sent out to all Bishops in America, Canada, England, Ireland, Scotland and Australia. The Rector, the Right Rev. Monsignor Keane, will sail for America the first week in May.

SPRUNG A LEAK AND SUNK.

NORWALK, Conn., April 15.—The propeller City of Norwalk sprang a leak and sank yesterday, while lying at a wharf in South Norwalk. On the vessel were 3,000 bushels of wheat for foreign shipment. The propeller would have started for New-York Saturday had the wind been less severe. The fireman was asleep and narrowly escaped.

COURT OF APPEALS CALENDARS.

ALBANY, April 15.—The motion calendar for Tuesday, April 16, in the Court of Appeals is: Nos. 1,322, 1,323, 1,324, 1,328, 1,329, 1,330, 1,331, 1,334, 1,335, 1,336, 1,337, 1,338, 1,339, 1,340, 1,341, 1,342, 1,343, 1,344, 1,345, 1,346, 1,347, 1,348, 1,349, 1,350, 1,351, 1,352, 1,353, 1,354, 1,355, 1,356, 1,357, 1,358, 1,359, 1,360, 1,361, 1,362, 1,363, 1,364, 1,365, 1,366, 1,367, 1,368, 1,369, 1,370, 1,371, 1,372, 1,373, 1,374, 1,375, 1,376, 1,377, 1,378, 1,379, 1,380, 1,381, 1,382, 1,383, 1,384, 1,385, 1,386, 1,387, 1,388, 1,389, 1,390, 1,391, 1,392, 1,393, 1,394, 1,395, 1,396, 1,397, 1,398, 1,399, 1,400, 1,401, 1,402, 1,403, 1,404, 1,405, 1,406, 1,407, 1,408, 1,409, 1,410, 1,411, 1,412, 1,413, 1,414, 1,415, 1,416, 1,417, 1,418, 1,419, 1,420, 1,421, 1,422, 1,423, 1,424, 1,425, 1,426, 1,427, 1,428, 1,429, 1,430, 1,431, 1,432, 1,433, 1,434, 1,435, 1,436, 1,437, 1,438, 1,439, 1,440, 1,441, 1,442, 1,443, 1,444, 1,445, 1,446, 1,447, 1,448, 1,449, 1,450, 1,451, 1,452, 1,453, 1,454, 1,455, 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Weather Indications.
WASHINGTON, April 15.—Indications for
Tuesday: Rain, northerly winds, stationary
temperature.

PRODUCE THE DUDLEY LETTER.

The Rochester Union expends a column of space in self defense against the charge of the FREEMAN that its story of the receipt by United States Treasurer Huston of the alleged Dudley letter about "blocks of five" was a needless lie. Its contradiction of our statement is not sustained by any proof, and is just as gratuitous as the lie itself. There is only one statement of the long and overwrought article that needs our notice. We quote:

"The 'blocks' and 'blocks of five' letter to the Chairman of the Republican State Committee of Indiana, just appointed to a high federal office by President Harrison, is in existence and is kept by the Union."

To this we answer with the question, why was not the letter produced before the Grand Jury? The document was necessary for the procurement of an indictment, as not a single witness could be found who had ever seen it. There was no proof before the grand jury that Huston received it. Huston himself was not summoned as a witness. The entire conduct of the prosecution was an admission that either the letter did not exist, or else that it had been so garbled and falsified as to place its custodian in 'danger of an indictment for forgery.' The Union says the letter is in "safe keeping." Quite too safe, we should say, for Democratic uses. If it exists it is in Democratic hands, for it was a Democratic paper that claimed the merit of discovery and gave the alleged document to the public. Mr. Dudley admitted that he had written letters to Republican friends at home, but no such letter as was published. He pronounced it a forgery. It is remarkable that the letter was so suddenly locked up if it existed. It is remarkable that the facsimiles of it were not issued like those of the Morey forgery. The only conclusion to be drawn from the treatment of the letter is that the Democratic gang will lie, but will not swear to it.

The assertion that Mr. Huston was the recipient of the alleged letter is a new addition to the original lie. It was not made while the case was in Court. Col. Dudley stated that he had not communicated with Huston at all and it was understood that he did not co-operate with the State Organization. But it is found necessary for the further preservation of the lie to connect some other Republican with Dudley in the matter. The name of Huston occurred to some Democratic liar as a handy one, as his appointment had just made him prominent. Before passing the lie along any farther, common decency demands that the letter should be produced. If it is "in existence and safe keeping" there ought to be no trouble about it. We are not here to defend Col. Dudley, but to rebuke the Democratic propensity for lying, which is too often exercised very foolishly and without provocation.

BEER IN POLITICS.

Gov. Hill is making up his slate for the fall campaign. He has decided that a brewer must head the ticket for Secretary of State. Mr. Cook of Rochester is anxious to get back to his brew and will not take a third term, the Governor has fixed upon Senator Stadler of New York as the next best man. We look through the biographies of the Argus Almanac in vain for any statement that Mr. Stadler is a brewer. We learn that he has been at the head of the New York Ice Exchange, President of the Sebastian Manufacturing Company, and a member of the firm of Neidlinger, Schmidt & Co. Mr. Stadler is understood to have written this sketch himself, and his reasons for keeping back the fact that he is a brewer are not complimentary to his self-respect. He was ashamed of it. But he is the President of the Clausen Brewing Company and the head of the Brewers and Malsters' Association. And he has voted against high license, bull and kindred measures with an amount of perseverance and patience that has made him a man after the Governor's own heart. He is Mr. Hill's choice, and Senator Cantor, who wants the place, but is only a lawyer, an orator and an editor, will have to stand aside. Mr. Stadler is a German by birth, but, unlike Mr. Cook, has an excellent English education and abundant literary qualifications for the office. The other state officers who expect to go out are Treasurer Fitzgerald, who has had two terms, and State Engineer Bogert, who has not time to devote to the office. Comptroller Wemple and Attorney General Barlow are looking for re-nominations, but Wemple's careless handling of the ceiling appropriation may make him too great a load for his party to carry. Mr. Barlow has not been reckoned a profound lawyer, but this fact does not render him the less serviceable to Hill, whose will is the sort of law that Barlow best understands.

Independent Democratic voters, who would like to have something to say in the selection of candidates, will take notice that the campaign is being organized at the executive mansion, and that a Democratic state convention, which will probably be called as a matter of form, will have nothing to do except to register the will of David B. Hill. This perfunctory service was rendered last year at St. Louis in the nomination of Cleveland and Thurman, and also at Buffalo in the renomination of Hill and Jones. The Democrat who goes obediently to the polls and votes the ticket thus prepared for him, would be puzzled for an answer if asked what value his citizenship was to him.

EXPORTS INCREASING.

The report of exports of breadstuffs and provisions issued from the Bureau of Statistics for March contradicts the Democratic assertion that business shows no improvement since the election. Thus the amount of breadstuffs exported during March last was \$9,636,481, against \$9,281,563 in March, 1888. For the three months ending with March the export was \$28,763,471, against \$27,785,840 in March, 1888. This showing is made in despite of the great failure of the wheat crop last season as compared with the previous year. In corn and corn meal the increase was nearly trebled.

In exports of provisions the increase was much larger. In beef, hog and dairy products the export amounted to \$8,692,309 during March, against \$5,860,881 in March, 1888. For the three months ending March 31, the total was \$27,881,078, against \$19,205,804 in corresponding period of 1888. In beef and hog products there was a gain from \$32,461,098 to \$41,571,715 during the five months ending with March as compared with the corresponding months one year earlier. These are figures of great encouragement to farmers. They show that European purchasers are not scared nor angered by the success of the protective principle in our elections. The sales abroad are still very small compared with the amounts consumed at home, and must continue to be, but nevertheless Europe has decided to take from us what she needs and what we have for sale. The free trade bugbear is dead, and we shall never hear again that the free trade countries of the East are going to starve themselves in order to punish our protectionist producers. If the present rate of increase is continued, the American people will get the balance of trade on their side again before the end of the year.

THE MORMON POPULATION.

Here is the census of the Mormon church, as reported by Hon. Geo. C. Cannon at the recent conference in Salt Lake City: Apostles, 12; Patriarchs, 70; High Priests, 3,719; Elders, 11,805; Priests, 2,069; Teachers, 2,292; Deacons, 11,610; families, 81,899; officers and members, 115,915; children under 8 years of age, 49,302. The total population is stated at 153,911, but the last two items foot up 165,217. The officials named above amount in number to 31,577, leaving of those who do not hold offices and those known as Deacons 133,640. There are therefore about four people who do not hold office for every one who does. These are undoubtedly wives and children. The Mormon church appears to be organized on the plan of Artemus Ward's regiment of Brigadier Generals, which contained one lone some private who each Brigadier took a turn at drilling till he was drilled to death. The parallel is defective, however, because the Brigadiers were not required to furnish any recruits, where as the Mormon officer is expected to contribute at least two who are to be his wives. If these are energetic and skillful at the wash tub or in the potato field, he has a constituency adequate to his entire support, and hence is able to give his whole time to his official duties.

THE PRISON REMOVAL.

We copy elsewhere an article from the New York Sun on the proposal to remove the state prison from Sing Sing. The Sun's survey of the field causes it to limit the location of the new prison somewhere in the three counties of Ulster, Greene and Sullivan. The latter county, we understand, is looking for the prize, though the location is central to nowhere, and hence undesirable. There can be no doubt of the success of Ulster county if an effort is made. The entire town of Kingston would not be too large a territory for the occupancy of such an institution, if quarrying, farming, and other industries that do not interfere with skilled labor are pursued. We only point out the opportunity. It is for the county to act.

PUBLIC OPINION.

The official program of the Washington inauguration centennial states that, on May 1, there will be a "day of national celebration." That moving day, there will also be a dusty and uneventful parade.—Union Herald.

When Gov. David B. Hill casts his eye southward over the New York border into New Jersey and beholds the contrails of the New Jersey Legislature it must make his heart palpitate with admiring emotion. The Jersey legislature are being controlled precisely to the liking of practical politicians like Mr. Hill. If he had such a gathering under his wings at Albany he would be as proud as a hen with 20 chickens.—Philadelphia Record, Den.

In opposing this measure the (Saxton Ballot Reform bill) the Democratic Assemblyman of Ulster, explained in debate that as at least two-thirds of the 81,000 illiterate voters of the state were Democrats, the Republicans would by the Saxton bill wipe out the small majority against them, owing to the inability of the illiterates to master the intricacies of the new ballot. This fear is not justified by experience under the law in other states and countries.—Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

Governor Hill is doing his worst by the Democratic party in the Empire State. The Assembly passed the electoral reform bill, based on the Australian system and similar to the Massachusetts law. All the seventy-four Republicans voted for it and all the forty-four Democrats against it. The Senate will pass it, but the Governor will probably veto this reform measure.—Springfield Republican.

A Georgia paper says the South wants protection. Well, she can have it in double measure by moving half way in the matter. Let the South protect her voters and the Republican party will protect her industries.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

If his own head were not so sore, Murat Halstead's revelations of the alleged corruption of certain Republican Senators who voted against his confirmation would have more effect. When a newspaper's attacks are self-evidently based on personal instead of public grounds, the effect upon observant readers is greatly impaired. Mr. Halstead would have exhibited more wisdom if he had adopted the spirit of his own recent advice relative to keeping a close mouth. When a man is beaten, he makes nothing by repining and whining.—Troy Press.

Since when have civil-service reform and Postmaster Pearson been convertible terms? Some exalted but inglorious contemporaries are indulging in more wisdom when they seem to call for.—Hartford Courant.

The railroads that are advertising excursions to Oklahoma are like grave yard speculators. There are more people hovering around the borders of Oklahoma than there is land in Oklahoma for them, when the bars shall be let and the Sunday night will be a clear certainty to take a poor person to Oklahoma on a cheap ticket, when there is nothing for him to do when he gets there but walk back.—Rochester Herald.

ULSTER COUNTY'S OPPORTUNITY.

The Proposed Removal of the State Prison. [From the New York Sun.] The Assembly, with but two dissenting votes, has passed a bill authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission of five persons to report to the Legislature its next session whether it is not expedient to remove the state prison now situated at Sing Sing to some county in the eastern part of the state other than Westchester.

The principal advocate of this measure was Gen. James W. Huston, who demanded the change of site on the ground that the state prison ought to be located in a place where the convicts could work at quarrying and agricultural employments which would not interfere with honest labor to any great extent. It is also evident that one reason why he favors the bill is that the county of Westchester, of which he is one of the Representatives in the Legislature, is tired of having the state prison within its own limits, and sends some other county to take it. It is said that the presence of the prison at Sing Sing tends greatly to lessen the value of property along that part of the Hudson.

But what county desires to assume the burden which thus seems to be too disagreeable to Westchester? The bill contemplates the selection of the new site in some county which will be east of the Sixth Judicial district. The easternmost counties of that district are Otsego, in which Cooperstown is situated, and Delaware, of which the shire

town is Delhi. It would hardly be deemed expedient to choose a site as far north as Albany county, or as far south as Orange; so that the choice will appear to lie between Greene, Ulster and Sullivan.

It will be interesting to hear what the inhabitants of these counties have to say on the subject. In selecting the Commission it would be well for the Governor to appoint some members from those localities which are deemed most likely to afford a more suitable site for the state prison than that at Sing Sing. If any change is to be made it should be to a county which is willing to have the prison within its borders.

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